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By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION,

For Apprehending *Thomas Forster* Junior, late of the County of *Northumberland*, Esquire.

GEORGE R.

WHereas Thomas Forster *Junior, late of the County of* Northumberland, *Esquire, who is a Person of a middle Stature, inclining to be Fat, well shaped, except that he stoops in the Shoulders, fair Complexioned, his Mouth wide, his Nose pretty large, his Eyes Grey, speaks the Northern Dialect, and about Thirty Five Years of Age, was lately Apprehended and Committed to the Goal of* Newgate *for High Treason, in Levying War against Us within this Realm, did, on* Tuesday *the Tenth Day of this Instant* April, *make his Escape out of the said Goal; We therefore have thought fit, with the Advice of our Privy-Council, to issue this our Royal Proclamation, hereby requiring and commanding all our loving Subjects whatsoever, to use their utmost Endeavour to discover and apprehend the said* Thomas Forster, *and to carry him before the next Justice of the Peace, who is hereby required to Commit him to the next Goal for High Treason, there to remain till he shall be discharged by due Course of Law; of which such Justice of the Peace is hereby required to give immediate Notice to One of Our Principal Secretaries of State. And for the Encouragement of all Persons to be diligent and careful in endeavouring to discover and apprehend the said* Thomas Forster, *We do hereby further declare, That whosoever shall apprehend and bring before such Justice of the Peace the said* Thomas Forster, *shall have and receive as a Reward the Sum of One Thousand Pounds, which the Lords Commissioners of Our Treasury are hereby required and directed to pay accordingly.*

Given at Our Court at St. *James's*, the Eleventh Day of *April*, 1716. In the Second Year of our Reign.

God Save the KING.

Hamburg, April 14. As we have had no Letters from Norway for these three Posts, we have no further Advices of the Situation of Affairs in that Kingdom. Our Letters from Copenhagen of the 11th leave us likewise in the same Uncertainty, they having had nothing from Norway for near a Fortnight, nor any News of the Frigate called the White Eagle, which carried several General Officers to that Kingdom. Vice-Admiral Gabel, who was hindred from putting to Sea the 4th, as he intended to do, sailed the 7th, and passed the Sound with the Squadron under his Command on the 8th about Four in the Morning with a fair Wind; and about ten or eleven Hours after a great Canonading was heard from the Northwards; which gives occasion to a Report, that the Danish Fleet met and engaged that of the Swedes from Gottenburg; but the Wind being contrary to the bringing any Intelligence of the Reason of that Firing, nothing certain was known at Copenhagen concerning it when the last Letters came away. The King of Denmark has given Orders to four Battalions more to hold themselves in a Readiness to be transported to Norway. Some Advices say, that his Danish Majesty is soon expected in Holstein, in order to proceed to Stettin; where, 'tis presumed, he will have an Interview with the Czar and the King of Prussia. Some of the Muscovite Troops arrived in the Camp before Wismar on the 12th, and the rest were expected the Day following. The Danish General M. Dewitz having before summoned the Governor of the Town to surrender, and seeing him not inclined to it, went away to Lubec: But since the Arrival of the Muscovites the said Governor sent his Aide de Camp with a Trumpet to the General, who not finding him in the Camp has sent an Express after him to Lubec.

Brussels, April 18. The States General not being yet put in Possession of the Lands which are yielded to them by the Barrier-Treaty for an Extension of their Limits, they have deferred giving up the Civil Government of the Towns in their Possession: Wherefore this being the usual Time of the Year for the Letting the Revenues of those Places to farm, Monsieur Pesters, who at present takes care of the Affairs of the States General in these Countries, went Yesterday to Ipres, being likewise Intendant of that Chattelleny, to farm out the Revenues there for a Year. Monsieur Copieters, one of the Councellors of these Finances, went with him to look after the Emperor's Interest on this Occasion: For tho' the States General receive the Revenues of those Places at present, yet they are accountable for them to his Imperial Majesty, and must deduct the Produce from the annual Subsidy of five hundred thousand Crowns allowed them by the 19th Article of the Barrier-Treaty. The two Imperial Regiments of Dragoons have received Orders to march very soon to Hungary; but we are assured that they will be replaced in a short time by a greater Number of Foot, which is reckoned more fit for the Service of these Garrisons.

Hague, April 21. The Baron de Heems, Envoy-Extraordinary from the Emperor, has received a Letter from Count Kinigsegg, dated at Brussels the 20th, giving an Account that the Day before he had an Express from Dusseldorp, with Advice that a Courier from Vienna had brought the agreeable News to the Elector Palatine of the Empress's being happily and safely delivered of an Arch-Duke. The separate Article of the Treaty for renewing the Alliances with the Crown of Great Britain, which came lately Signed from England, has been transmitted by the States General to the several Provinces in order to be ratified. Our Letters from Hamburg of the 17th tells us, that the Advices they had from Norway by the way of Copenhagen say, that the King of Sweden had not made any further Progress in that Country for want of Artillery. They mention, that a Detachment of 700 Swedes, which had been sent to view the Passes to the Silver and Copper Mines, had been beaten. They add likewise, that the Swedish Magazine at Moss had been surprized, with the Troops which guarded it; but as the Particulars were not known, these Advices seem to want Confirmation. There is no further News of the supposed Sea-Fight, and Vice-Admiral Gabel is said to be in Jutland, to take on board the Regiments of Budde and Cicignon. The Governor of Wismar has offered to capitulate.

Inverness, April 6. Last Night Lieutenant-General Cadogan arrived here; the Troops encamped at Muy within five Miles of this Place, and to Day they will march to Bordlam. The Macdonalds of Galloway on the Confines of Badenoch, and the People of the Brays of Lochabor, having refused to deliver up their Arms, and assembled to the Number of 2 or 300 Men, who were to be joyned by Capoch's Men, the Lieutenant-General detached a Colonel with 300 Men against them; but on the Notice they got of his March, they dispersed and fled to the Mountains. Our Detachment burnt the Laird's House, and brought in the Cattle and Sheep, which were distributed to the Troops. This Example has had a very good Effect; for the Lieutenant-General has since had an Account from Collonel Clayton, that the Camerans have laid down their Arms and submitted to Mercy; and Messages are come to him from Glengary and Capoch,

Capoch, to let him know that they and their Men would do the ſame: Whereupon a Party is ſent to take Poſſeſſion of Glengary's Houſe, and receive the Arms of his Men and of Capoch's. The People of Clan Renald offer likewiſe to deliver up their Arms and ſubmit to Mercy. So there now remains none in Rebellion but Lord Seaforth's Men and the Macdonalds in the Iſlands. The Lieutenant-General deſigns to order to Morrow a Detachment into Lord Seaforth's Country; and aſſoon as he goes to Fort William, which will be the 9th Inſtant, he will ſend Collonel Cholmley with 400 Men to the Iſlands; for which Service he has given Directions to prepare a ſufficient Number of Boats at Fort William, to carry this Detachment to the Iſlands, under the Convoy of two ſmall Frigates which he had deſired ſhould be ſent to Cary Lough, where we hear they are already arrived.

The Perſon who on Wedneſday laſt the 11th Inſtant, ſent a Letter to the Secretary's Office at the Cockpit, dated April —— and concluding with the Words but not plain, *is deſired to come to the Office whither the ſaid Letter was directed, and he ſhall have all fitting Encouragement.*

The Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty having on the 12th Inſtant received a Letter dated Thurſday Morning, and Signed W. S. J. *offering to diſcover Bribery, and ſeveral other ill Practices in a Perſon employ'd in the Service of the Government: If the Perſon who wrote the ſaid Letter, will come to the Admiralty Office, and make appear what is therein alledged, he ſhall have all fitting Encouragement and Protection.*

Notice is hereby given, That the Commiſſioners appointed for building Fifty New Churches, will be ready to receive Propoſals from Carpenters, for doing the Carpenters Work of the Roof, &c. of the New Church erecting in the Pariſh of St. Margaret, Weſtminſter; and alſo from Plaiſterers, for doing the Plaiſterers Work of the New Church erecting in the Pariſh of Deptford, at their Office in Lincoln's-Inn, on Monday the 16th of this Inſtant April, 1716. at Five a-Clock in the Afternoon.

Sir Andrew Chadwick, *Knt. Pay-Maſter of the* 1500000 l. *Lottery, Anno* 1711, *does hereby give Notice, That there was ſufficient Money reſerved in the Exchequer at Lady-Day laſt paſt, to pay off and diſcharge all the Principal Money on the Standing Orders in the ſaid Lottery to* N° 58, *in the 17th Courſe of Payment, and* 360 l. *in part of* N° 59, *in the ſame Courſe; and alſo to pay the Intereſt due upon all the unſatisfied Orders in the ſaid Lottery, at, or at any Time before Lady-Day laſt, as aforeſaid; and that Attendance is given at the ſaid Pay-Maſter's Office, to pay the ſaid Principal and Intereſt accordingly.*

Advertiſements.

On Wedneſday next will be Publiſh'd, by Order of the Houſe of Peers,

The Tryal of George Earl of Wintoun, upon the Articles of Impeachment of High-Treaſon exhibited againſt him by the Knights, Citizens and Burgeſſes in Parliament aſſembled, in the Name of themſelves, and of all the Commons of Great Britain, in Weſtminſter-Hall, on Thurſday the 15th, Friday the 16th, and Monday the 19th Days of March, 1715-16. on the laſt of which Days Judgment of High-Treaſon was given againſt him. Together with ſeveral Orders of the Houſe of Peers, in Courſe of Time, preparatory to the ſaid Tryal. In which Tryal are contain'd the ſeveral Speeches of the Lord-High-Steward, Mr. Hampden, Sir Joſeph Jekyll, Mr. Attorney-General, Mr. Cowper, Sir William Thomſon and Mr. Walpole. Alſo the Speeches of Sir Conſtantine Phipps and Mr. Williams, who were Council for the ſaid Earl. Together with the Evidence of the Lord Forreſter, General Carpenter, General Wills, Collonel Churchill, Collonel Cotten, Brigadier Munden, &c. Printed for Jacob Tonſon, at Shakeſpear's-Head, over-againſt Catharine Street in the Strand.

FOR Sale by the Candle. By Order of the Honourable the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms. On Thurſday the 19th Inſtant, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, in the Long-Room in the Cuſtom-Houſe, London, a Parcel of French and India Silks and Callico's, (clear of all Duties) and to be taken away with all Faults: And are to be ſeen at the King's Warehouſe at the Cuſtom-Houſe, London, on Tueſday and Wedneſday the 17th and 18th Inſtant, from Eight to Twelve, and from Two till Five; and on Thurſday the 19th, from Eight to Twelve.

THE Reverſion of certain Lands in the Pariſhes of Chalſhock, Wellweil and Kennington, in the County of Kent, are to be Sold to the beſt Bidder, before Sir Thomas Gery, Knt. One of the Maſters of the Court of Chancery, at his Houſe in Southampton-Buildings, near Chancery-Lane: Where Particulars may be had.

SUCH of the Creditors and Legatees of Barbara Byde Spinſter, deceas'd, as are unpaid, are forthwith to come in and make out their Claim, purſuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before ſir Thomas Gery, One of the Maſters of the ſaid Court.

THeſe are to give Notice, That the Creditors of Horatio Moore, Eſq; late of Plompton in the County of Northampton, either by Mortgage, Statute, Judgment or Specialty, are to come in and prove their reſpective Debts before James Medlycott, Eſq; One of the Maſters of the High Court of Chancery, at his Houſe in Shear-Lane near Temple-Bar, within one Month next enſuing the Publication hereof, or they will be excluded the Dividend to be made of the Moneys ariſing by Sale of the real Eſtate of the ſaid Moore, purſuant to a Decree of the ſaid Court of Chancery.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Alexander Ekins of London, Woollen-Draper, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 24th and 27th Inſtant, and on the 14th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the firſt of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuſe Aſſignees.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Matthew Barnett, late of the City of Exon, Fuller, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 20th and 27th Inſtant, and on the 14th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Lewis Joans's Coffee-houſe in the City of Exon; at the firſt of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution Money, and chuſe Aſſignees.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt Alexander Mitchell of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 20th and 27th Inſtant, and on the 14th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the firſt of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuſe Aſſignees.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded againſt John Baptiſt Oliver of Palmall, in the County of Middleſex, Taylor, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners on the 18th and 25th Inſtant, and on the 14th of May next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the ſecond of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuſe Aſſignees.

WHereas Thomas Ward of Great Weld-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. Giles's in the Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Butcher, hath ſurrendred himſelf (purſuant to Notice) and been twice Examined; this is to give Notice, That he will attend the Commiſſioners on the 30th Day of April Inſtant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finiſh his Examination; where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and aſſent to, or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas James Wayte of London, Merchant, hath ſurrendred himſelf (purſuant to Notice) and been twice Examined; this is to give Notice, That he will attend the Commiſſioners on the 30th of April Inſtant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finiſh his Examination; where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and aſſent to, or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas John Siar of London, Vintner, hath ſurrendred himſelf (purſuant to Notice) and been twice Examined; this is to give Notice, That he will attend the Commiſſioners on the 30th of April Inſtant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finiſh his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and aſſent to, or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. And all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay or deliver the ſame to Mr. John Kiggell near Little Tower-ſtreet, London, Wine Merchant, or to Mr. Philip Barraud of Laurence Poultney's-Lane, London, Wine-Merchant, Aſſignees, or they'll be ſued.

WHereas Edward Peters of Fenchurch-ſtreet, London, Hoſier, hath ſurrendred himſelf (purſuant to Notice) and been twice Examined; this is to give Notice, That he will attend the Commiſſioners on the 30th of April Inſtant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finiſh his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and aſſent to, or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. And all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay or deliver the ſame to Mr. Chriſtopher White of Barge-Yard in Bucklersbury, London, Merchant, or to Mr. Richard Bannifter near the Red-Lyon Inn without Biſhopſgate, London, Silk-Stocking Maker, Aſſignees, or they'll be ſued.

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